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Tsutomu OHZUKU, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3395
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For: POSITIVE ELECTRODE ACTIVE MATERIAL, PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF
AND NON -AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE SECONDARY BATTERY

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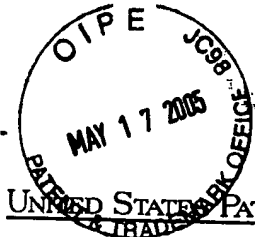
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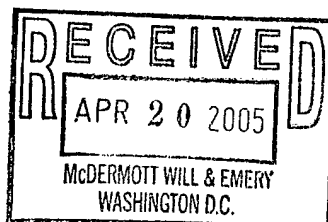


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Title

Anode active material, manufacturing method thereof, and non-aqueous electrolyte secondary battery

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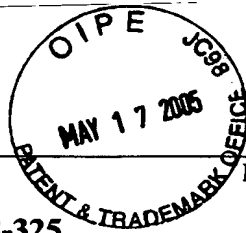
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- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Tsutomu OHZUKU, Hiroshi YOSHIZAWA, Masatoshi NAGAYAMA and
Hizuru KOSHINA
hereinafter called the "Assignors," have jointly invented a new and useful invention entitled
POSITIVE ELECTRODE ACTIVE MATERIAL, PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF AND
NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE SECONDARY BATTERY
for which they have:

- (a) filed an application for United States Letters Patent on
_____ as (Serial No. _____); or
- (b) executed an application for United States Letters Patent on
_____ ; or
- (c) filed a provisional application on _____
as (Serial No. _____); and

WHEREAS, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. and Osaka City, corporations
organized and existing under the laws of Japan, having places of business at:
1006, Oaza-Kadoma, Kadoma-shi, Osaka 571-8501 Japan and 3-20, Nakanoshima
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hereinafter called the "Assignees," are desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and
interest in and to said invention, the application above identified, and in, to and under
any Letters Patent which may be obtained to said invention, as hereinafter more fully
set forth;

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said Assignors have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seal.

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